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Dear Community,

As we begin our fall sports season, I want to thank the community for your support of Emanuel County Schools' athletics. Last year I had the opportunity to see what excellent community support we receive in our system. We are blessed with parents, community members, and boosters who continue to lead and support our students as we continue a rich tradition of athletics in Emanuel County Schools.

Our athletic programs offer a variety of sports for our students. The value of athletics in our schools is significant and plays an essential role in teaching young men and women to conduct themselves with honesty and integrity, strive for excellence, persevere through adversity, make sacrifices, and compete with dignity and pride while developing a commitment to teamwork and serving our schools and community. Our athletic programs help lay the groundwork for our students to be successful student-athletes in the classroom, on the playing field, and beyond high school graduation.

We continue to expect our coaches, athletes, and spectators to show respect and sportsmanship when interacting with opposing teams, coaches, fans, and contest officials. We strive each day to carry out our commitment to put our student-athletes first and to "DO RIGHT"!

Dedicated to developing winning programs and growing student-athletes into productive and honorable young men and women, our coaches work tirelessly to expand their programs and invest in our students to build character and positive attitudes with our student-athletes. Our coaches challenge their players to push themselves beyond their perceived limits and embrace the philosophy of teamwork, which is essential to their success in athletics and, most importantly, life. They take their designation as "role models" very seriously. In doing so, our coaches will strive to be men and women who live above reproach. We want our student-athletes always to remember the positive influences that our coaches made on their young lives. Our coaches will work to focus on our F.A.M.I.L.Y. (Forget About Me; I Love You.) motto and put S.A.S. (Service Above Self).

I am proud to support our community as Superintendent of Emanuel County Schools and am excited to be a part of the rich and storied traditions of athletics in our school system.

Scotty W. Hattaway Superintendent Emanuel County Schools







Date



COACH KEARSON AND FAMILY

Meet the Coach: Chris Kearson

Name: Chris Kearson **Age:** 50

Hometown: Waycross Family: Wife, Dedra;

son, Bryce, 12th grade; and daughter, Jayna, 10th grade

Education and playing experience: Attended Ware Co. High Schoool; Graduated with BS in Ed from Union College in Barbourville, Ky; Graduated from Georgia Southwestern with M.ED in 1995; Graduated from Cambridge College with Specialist in Administration in 2008:

Played Football and Baseball in College.

Previous coaching experience: Head Football Coach at ECI since 2011; Defensive Coordinator at ECI from 2002-2010, and ing and camping.

69-16 record at ECI: assistant coach at Peach County High School; 6-time Assistant Coach of the Year; 2012 Class A State Championship; 2012 Class A Coach of the Year; 13-1 and one state championship at ECI (2012); 2002-2009 at ECI; three region (2006-2008); GHSA Class A runner-up (2008); GHSA state champions (2007); 1996-2001 at Peach County; GHSA Class AAA runner-up (1998); coached in four state championship games, one at Peach County and three at ECI; UGA coaching clinic in 2012; region championship in 2015-2017 at ECI; semifinals of playoffs in 2015-2017 at ECI.

Hobbies: hunting, fish-



2022 ECI Bulldogs

ECI Varsity Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Opponent

Location

Time

August 26	Metter	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 2	Lincoln Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 9	Dublin	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 16	Swainsboro	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 23	Johnson Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 30	Jefferson Co. *	Home	7:30 p.m.
Region Schedule			
October 14	Portal **	Home	7:30 p.m.
October 21	McIntosh Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 28	Jenkins Co.	Home	7:30 p.m.
November 4	Montgomery Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
* Homecoming			

** Senior Night

Old and new faces on schedule for 2022 Bulldogs

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The ECI Bulldogs' 2022 football schedule will have

RON WEATHER- a couple new faces for this season. The schedule also includes some familiar teams that ECI hasn't faced

in a few years.

Before the regular season started on August 26 for the Bulldogs they hosted the class AA state champions, Fitzgerald, in a scrimmage game. The Bulldogs and Hurricanes were scheduled to scrimmage in 2021 but with a delayed school start date due to Covid in their area, Fitzgerald had to cancel the match-up.

When asked about this season and the strong schedule, head football coach Chris Kearson had this observation. "The 2022 ECI Bulldogs will be challenged early and often as the scrimmage and non-region schedule are as rough and tough as any I can re-

member. The good news is that we have experienced players in the backfield returning as well as on the offensive line. Depth on defense and offensive lines are a concern that always seems to be the case. Young players must provide that depth in order for the Dawgs to be successful."

With just 5 teams in region three this year, the Bulldogs will only have 4 region matchups in 2022.

Before region play begins on October 14, the Bulldogs will be tested facing 6 playoff teams to start the season.

The Bulldogs have an open week the first Friday night of the season, or normally called the Zero week. That will give them and their fans an opportunity to watch two of their opponents live when Metter and Swainsboro tangle in the battle of the Tigers.

In the past couple years, the Bulldogs have faced Metter the last game of the regular season. For 2022 ECI will host the Tigers the first game of the season. The Tigers advanced to the semi-finals in 2021 losing to eventual champion Brooks Co. The Bulldogs and Tigers are not in the same region or league this year, but that doesn't matter when these two long-time rivals meet.

There have been at least 2 occasions in the state playoffs that the brackets would put ECI and Lincoln County on track to face each other. Two of those occasions happened in 2007 when Lincoln lost to Wilcox Co. and again in 2012 when they lost to Dooly before the Bulldogs played those two teams.

The Bulldogs will travel to Lincolnton on September 2 to face the Red Devils. While the Bulldogs and Devils are not that familiar, both coaches are, since Lee Chomskis was the Vidalia coach when ECI faced the Indians on several occasions.

Next on tap on September 9, the Bulldogs will travel to Dublin to face the Irish in the battle of the Wing T. Like ECI in 2020, the Irish had an atypical year in 2021 going 6-5 and losing in the first round of the state playoffs.

ECI will host Swainsboro the fourth game of the season at Rountree Stadium. Some see these two teams as rivals. But hard to call them rivals having played just 4 times in the last 20 years, the last being in 2017. The Tigers are coming off one of their better seasons losing in the semis in 2021 to eventual state champion, Fitzgerald. Both teams have won their games at their home stadium the last 4 matchups. With most of their team returning, the Tigers are looking to break that string.

After a two year absence, the Bulldogs will renew one of their true rivalries on September 23 when they travel to Wrightsville to take on Johnson Co. They are still in different regions this season, but these two teams will fight for the win as if it were for the region (Continued on page 5)





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Old and new...

(From page 4) championship.

The Bulldogs will host another new face for the last non-region game on September 30. Jefferson Co. middle school and ECI middle school have faced each other several times in the past. This may be the first meeting against the varsity teams. The Warriors lost in the first round of the playoffs in 2021. Jeffco always fields a wide-open offense with speed and doubtfully this year will be any different.

Region three will have a new look for 2022. Gone are Bryan Co., Metter, and Screven Co. who are now in region 3, Class A-division 1. ECI is in region 3, Class A division 2 along with football playing schools Jenkins Co., Montgomery Co., Portal and McIntosh Co.

After six non-region games the Bulldogs finally open up region play on October 14 when they host Portal.

turn back to Darien to face McIntosh Co. The Bucs will feature JaReese Campbell who moves from RB to QB and is being recruited by a few division I and division II schools. The Bulldogs spoiled the Bucs homecoming 17-6 last year.

Jenkins Co. will enter Rountree Stadium on October 28 to face the Bulldogs in another region matchup. ECI and the Eagles had a defensive battle in 2021 with ECI eeking by with a 20-12

Montgomery Co. returns to region three after a 2-year absence and will host the Bulldogs the first Friday night in November for both team's last regular season game. The Eagles posted a 8-3 record in 2021 losing to state champion Brooks Co. in the first round of the playoffs.

The Bulldogs will have a combination of experienced returning players with 14



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ECI Senior Profiles



PJ FARNUM (#1 - RB/DB)

PJ will be coming into his SR year finally healthy from nagging hand and knee injuries. His explosiveness with the ball in his hands makes him a game changer. This has been a great summer for him leading into the season. He will be counted on heavily on both sides of the ball and also the return game.



CORDARIUS LEE (#2 - RB/DB)

Cordarius has picked up some speed in the off season that will suit him well as he will be leaned on heavily in the backfield and also in the secondary. He is a 3 year starter with tons of experience. His best football is ahead of him.



DAVID STAPLETON (#4 - WR/DB)

David has worked extremely hard to get himself into position to play in the secondary on defense this season. He will also be very valuable on special teams as well. He has worked hard in the weight room to get bigger and faster this spring and summer.



GARTRELL BROWN (#6 - RB/DB)

Gartrell has battled the injury bug throughout his career but seems to be healthy and ready to challenge for playing time in the secondary on defense and at WR on offense. He will also give depth on all special teams.



BRYCE KEARSON (#8 - QB/DB)

Bryce is a 3 Year starter on offense for the dogs, the last two at QB. He will be counted on to give the offense balance with his legs and arm. He also could add depth to the defense in the secondary and on special teams.







MELVIN AKRIDGE (#72 - OL/DL)

Melvin is 3 Year starter on the OL and is the most experienced on that unit. He will be counted on to lead the OL and also serve as the backup center. He will also be the short snapper on FG/PAT.



SAMUEL MCBRIDE (#42 - WR/DB)

Sammy is returning to the dogs as the placekicker and FG kicker from last years team. He has also worked hard on his route running and blocking to push for playing time at WR on the offensive side of the ball.



JOSEPH CONNOR (#57 - OL/DE)

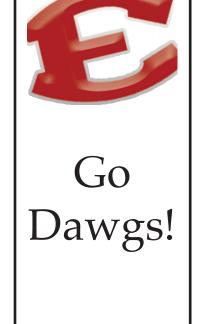
Joseph is a 2 Year starter at OT for the dogs. His length and tenacity make him a great asset to the offensive line. He will also be counted on defense to provide depth on the DL. He also serves as a mainstay on the special teams as well.

ECI Senior Profiles



LAWSON MERCER (#9 - WR/DB)

Lawson missed all of last season with an injury but has looked great this spring and summer. He will be used in a lot of areas on both sides of the ball. He'll play inside and outside on the defensive front and anywhere in the backfield on offense. His leadership was missed last year.





TIMMY DOBSON (#25 - TE/DE)

Timmy started on the interior defensive line for the dogs last season. He has gotten bigger and stronger this off season and that will definitely help Timmy on the DL. Timmy will also be counted on to solidify a few special teams as well.



JACOB DURDEN (#26 - WR/DE)

This year will be Jacob's first on the varsity football team. He has worked really hard to learn the playbook and get himself in position to play. He will be vying for time at both defensive end and tight-end/wing back.



JOSEPH FULLMORE (#76 - OL/DL)

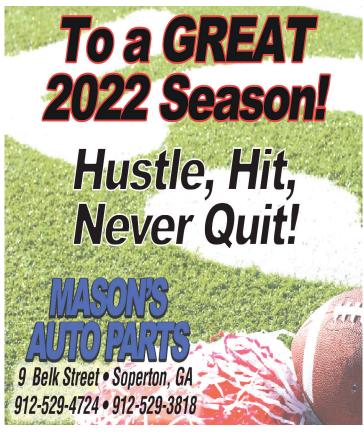
Joe is our biggest football player by far. He is a 2 Year starter on the DL and has really improved his footwork and hand placement of the course of his career. He will be a mainstay on the defensive front and provide depth on the OL.

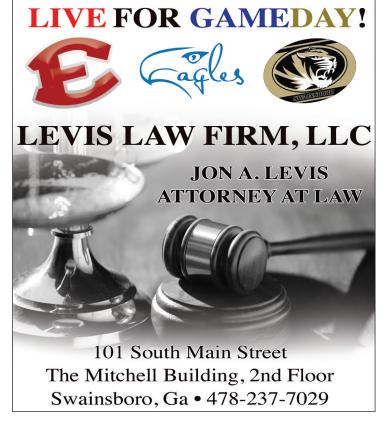
ROB BELL (#50 - OL/LB)

Rob is a two year Starter at OG for the dogs and has provided the OL with stability the last several seasons. Rob will also be used to provide depth at LB and on special teams. His toughness is contagious and one of his best attributes.

JORDAN PREW (#85 - WR/DB)

Jordan is a player that will provide depth at WR and special teams. He has continued to work hard and push himself to be the best player he can be. Jordan will also be counted on heavily to provide depth on special teams.





Bulldogs Back in Playoffs in 2021

by RON WEATHERFORD After missing the state playoff for the first time in 17 years in 2020, the ECI Football team played their

way back into the playoffs last season.

After a disappointing 5-5 season in 2020, the Bulldogs posted a 9-3 season record in 2021 and the second round McBride for a 17-14 win. of the playoffs.

They began the 2021 season beating Savannah Christian at Rountree Stadium 28-21.

The Bulldog hosted another private school from savannah on August 27. They had a disappointing loss to Savannah Country Day 22-20. Mistakes and penalties rose their head in the loss. But it was a mistake by the Hornets that was the difference in the score. SCD dropped the snap in a extra point try and scored the 2 points instead. The Bulldogs missed their 2 point try for a tie resulting in the 2 point loss.

The schedule didn't get any easier for the Bulldogs when they traveled to Vidalia the next Friday night. The Bulldogs jumped out to a 14-0 first half lead over the ninth ranked Indians. The Indians fought back to tie the game in the second half. The difference in the game came down to a successful 23 yard field goal by Samuel

The Bulldogs began region play on September 17 hosting Screven Co. The Bulldogs led the Gamecocks 7-3 in a defensive first half. The Bulldogs running game got in gear in the second half pulling away for a 27-10 win.

ECI hosted Portal the next football Friday night, easily defeating the Panthers 30-7.

The Bulldogs took the long ride to Darien on October 1 to take on the Buccaneers from McIntosh Co. The Bulldogs led the Bucs 10-0 at the half on a DJ Jones touchdown and a 37 yard field goal by Oisin Matthews. The Bulldogs added one more score in the defensive battle to go 3-0 in region with a 17-6 win.

ECI traveled to Claxton 2 weeks later to take on the Tigers. It was a typical chippy game at the Grove. The Bulldog defense had another stellar game holding the Tigers to 48 yards of offense in the first half, defeating Claxton 28-0 to remain undefeated in region play.

Defensive games seemed to be the norm after the Bulldogs travel across the river to play their neighbors from Jenkins Co. Neither team was able to get their offense untracked. The first TD was not posted until 19 minutes into the game late in the second quarter when the Eagles took a 6-0 lead. The Bulldogs took a 7-6 lead into the second half. Bulldogs pulled away in the second half to win 20-12 in the hard fought battle.

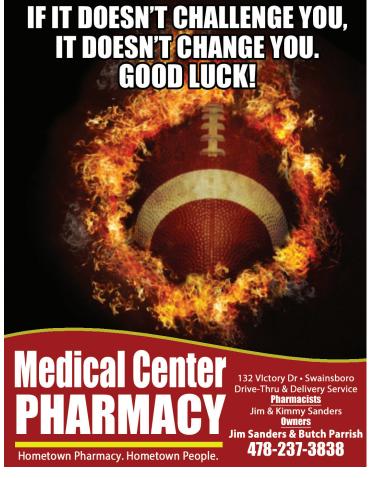
The Bulldogs hosted Bryan Co. the next Friday. The Indians have struggled in class AA and their struggles continue in Class A with ECI taking the game 69-13.

The last game of the regular season saw the Bulldogs traveling to their long time rivals in Metter for the region championship. ECI had no answer for the fourth ranked Tigers losing their first region game 38-0.

The Bulldogs hosted Terrell County in the first round of the state playoffs on November 13. Leading by just a point, 13-12 at the half, the Bulldogs put the hammer down scoring 35 unanswered points in the second half for a 48-12 win over the Greenwave.

The Bulldogs made their second trip in recent years to Macon Co. in the second round. The Bulldogs trailed the third ranked Macon Co. team 14-10 at the half. But big plays haunted ECI the second half with the Bulldogs from Macon ending ECI's season with a 42-10 loss.







ECI Varsity Football Roster 2022 - 2023

No.	Name	Year	Position	No.	Name	Year	Position
1	P.J. Farnum	Sr.	RB/DB	45	Jacob McBride	So.	WR/DB
2	Cordarius Lee	Sr.	RB/DB	46	Oisin Matthews	So.	WR/DE
3	K.J. Carlyle	Jr.	WR/DB	50	Rob Bell	Sr.	OL/LB
4	David Stapleton	Sr.	WR/DB	51	Vintavius Hughes	Fr.	OL/DL
5	Davon Edmonds	Jr.	RB/DB	53	Creed Sanders	Fr.	OL/DE
6	Gartrell Brown	Sr.	WR/DB	54	M.J. Williams	So.	OL/DL
7	Jackson Kennedy	Fr.	QB/DB	57	Joseph Conner	Sr.	OL/DE
8	Bryce Kearson	Sr.	QB/WR	58	Braxton Oliver	Fr.	OL/DL
9	Lawson Mercer	Sr.	TE/DE	59	Marquez Edmonds	So.	OL/DL
10	Tyler Foreman	Fr.	RB/DB	60	Brycen Purvis	Jr.	OL/DL
12	Brian Steele	So.	RB/DE	61	Nathan Marsh	So.	OL/DL
14	James Parker	So.	RB/DB	63	Noah Johnson	Fr.	OL/DL
15	Clayton Stripling	So.	RB/DB	65	Johnny Baird	Fr.	OL/DL
17	Daon Bethea	Fr.	WR/DB	66	Gage Gay	So.	OL/DL
18	Trey Hunter	Fr.	RB/DB	67	Caleb Spears	Fr.	OL/DL
19	Tuff Boddiford	Fr.	RB/LB	68	Wesson Willoughby	Fr.	OL/DL
22	Kanyon Thompson	So.	TE/DE	70	John Wesley Oliff	Fr.	OL/DL
25	Timmy Dobson	Sr.	TE/DE	7 1	Dee Akridge	Fr.	OL/DL
26	Jacob Durden	Sr.	WR/DE	72	Melvin Akridge	Sr.	OL/DE
28	Gabe Lee	So.	RB/LB	74	Jeremiah Budgett	Fr.	OL/DL
34	Jack Walden	Jr.	TE/LB	75	Heath Davis	Jr.	OL/DL
38	Caleb Myers	Sr.	WR/DB	76	Joseph Fullmore	Sr.	OL/DL
40	Hudson Henry	Jr.	RB/LB	78	Kendall Brannen	So.	OL/DL
42	Samuel McBride	Sr.	K/WR	85	Jordan Prew	Sr.	WR/DB
45	Jacob McBride	So.	WR/DB	88	Leo Gonzalez	So.	WR/LB

Managers: Hunter Spears - Video * Aaron Matthews, Lawson Frye and Liam Simmons

Middle School Bulldogs looking for a repeat

by RON WEATHERFORD The 2021 c-team football squad posted an 8-0 undefeated regular and playoff season, winning their fourth Area Middle School Championship, dominating Toombs Co. 28-6.

Since 2009 coach Greg Kennedy and his Bulldog squad have played for the area championship 7 times, playing in the championship game the last 5 years. The Bulldogs won the championship 4 of those years taking the crown in 2009, 2012, 2019 and 2021. They were runner-up in 2017, 2018 and 2020.

Below is coach Kennedy's information concerning his returning players and those

younger players who will need to contribute for this year's team to be successful.

We are coming off an undefeated season where we won the middle school league championship. We lost a group of 8th graders that only lost 2 games in the past 3 seasons. They will be hard to replace but hopefully the guys on this year's team will rise to the occasion.

Offensively, Ab Marsh, Gage Johnson, and Aaron Matthews are returning starters. Chase Johnson and Brayden Rich played a lot of snaps on offense last year. The backfield will rely heavily on Chase Johnson, Ab Marsh, Ja'shon Branch, TJ Weaver, Sam Williams, and

Rashard Smith. Patron Mack, who played some tight end last season, will also compete in the backfield. The quarterback position will be played by Davis Johnson or Robert Reynolds. Both players are working hard to learn and compete at the quarterback position. Brayden Rich is returning at wide receiver and competing with many other guys for playing time.

The offensive line will have Gage Johnson and Aaron Matthews returning from last year. Matthews is making the move from guard to tight end where he will compete with Braylen Lanier. There are several players who are competing on the offensive line for playing

time. Some of these guys that will have to step up are Turner Bryant, Landon Frederick, Holden Bowen, Wendell Coleman, Jackson Smith, Randon Durden, Cesar Salinas, Hagan Brown, Ryver Tharpe, Terence Carlyle, and Aiden Cumbee.

Defensively, we have a few more returners from last year that will look to lead the defense. Ja'shon Branch, Patron Mack, Terence Carlyle, Rashard Smith, Ab Marsh, and Chase Johnson will return from last year's dominating defense. Although there is a good nucleus returning, there are still some key holes to fill. Aaron Matthews, Britt Brannen, Braylen Lanier, and Robert Reynolds will look to compete alongside Branch at linebacker. The defensive line, anchored by Mack and Carlyle will see Holden Bowen, Landon Frederick, Gage Johnson, Randon Durden, Wendell Coleman, and Hagan Brown compete

for playing time. Ab Marsh will make the move from corner to end and Chase Johnson will move from end to strong safety. Rashard Smith will return at corner which leaves positions in the secondary for someone to fill. Sam Williams, TJ Weaver, Davis Johnson, Brayden Rich, Deryon Stapleton, Mason Collins, and Lawson Frye will work to fill those holes.

As always, depth will be an issue so some inexperienced players will have to find a way to contribute. Summer workouts have been well attended and should help to build more depth. The attitude and effort have been very good this summer and I look for us to carry that into the season. We have a lot of holes to fill but do have some experienced guys returning. Our goal, as always, is to win our league championship. We are going to continue to work hard in building future ECI Bulldogs.



ECI Middle School Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 18	Claxton - Scrimmage	Away	5 p.m.
September 1	Bryan County	Away	5 p.m.
September 7	Metter	Away	5 p.m.
September 14	South Tattnall	Home	5 p.m.
September 22	Jenkins Co.	Away	5 p.m.
September 28	Screven Co.	Home	5 p.m.
October 5	North Tattnall	Home	5 p.m.
October 13	Playoff	TBA	5 p.m.
October 20	Championship	TBA	5 p.m.

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BULLDOGS 2022-23 BAND AND DANCE LINE

Variety halftime show for *Spirit of the Dawgs*

by RON WEATHER-FORD

The ECI Bulldogs Spirt of the Dawg Marching Band has been hard at work this summer preparing for another halftime show. This year's theme is <u>HOME</u>.

The halftime show will be telling the tale of two soldiers with the following selections. HOME by American Idol winner Phillip Phillips, GLADIATOR from Gladiator, GOIN HOME by David Phelps,

and <u>FROM NOW ON</u> from The Greatest Showman.

The band will be competing in band competitions in 2022. The Dawgs will be at the Band Blast at Southeast Bulloch, the Sound of Silver at Pierce Co. High School and will travel to Wayne Co. for the Deep South Classic.

The Band is under the leadership of Band Captain Blake Librizzi, Drum Major Jackelyn Herbert, Percussion Captain Caleb Clements, High Brass Captain Blake Librizzi, Low Brass Captain Wallee Kersey, Woodwind Captain Aleigha Ducker, Equipment Sergeant Braeden Hooks, Librarian Sergeant Conner Merier and Dance Line Captains Caroline Salinas and Toddriana Watson.

"We are looking forward to another fun year and cheering on our ECI Dawgs to victory," states band director Ashley Akridge.

	ECI Middle School Football Roster 2022 - 2023					
Sixth G	Sixth Grade		Seventh Grade		Eighth Grade	
Dylan Steele	Maddox Sherrod	Mason Collins	Colt Freeman	Ab Marsh	Aiden Cumbee	
Jeremiah Tarver	Jake Marsh	Braylen Lanier		Brayden Rich	Randon Durden	
William Kennedy	Camden Hall	Robert Reynolds		Aaron Matthews	Ryver Tharpe	
Hane Henry		Lawson Frye		Turner Bryant	Hagan Brown	
Tucker Bryant		Dylan Alexander		Davis Johnson	Landon Frederick	
Vaiden Kirkland		Cesar Salinas		Ja'Shon Branch	Jackson Smith	
Skyler Wilcher		Britt Brannen		Marcus Gadson	Holden Bowen	
Malcolm Steele		Terrence Weaver		Terence Carlyle	Rashard Smith	
Ashton Hamrick	Ashton Hamrick			Patron Mack	Wendell Coleman Jr.	
Brayden Weyhrauch		Hayden Wilson		Chase Johnson	Sam Williams	
Xavion Stokes		Lane Van Horn		Gage Johnson	Deryon Stapleton	
Head Coach: G	reg Kennedy				nes: Artie Fields and	

ECI Band Roster 2022 - 2023

Name	Grade	Instrument
Lizzie Bell Swygert	7th	Trumpet
Hayden Way	7th	Trumpet
Leta Kellum	7th	Flute
Claire Akridge	8th	Trombone
Maverick Allen	8th	Baritone
JoAnna Arms	8th	Clarinet
ShayLynn Brantley	8th	Alto Saxophone
Evie Dowd	8th	Trombone
Danielle Munns	8th	Alto Saxophone
Mason Oglesby	8th	Percussion
Kir Perez	8th	Percussion
Gabby Pitts	8th	Trombone
Aaron Spears	8th	Bass Clarinet
Carolyn Cox	9th	Percussion
Braeden Hooks	9th	Trumpet
Wallee Kersey	11th	Trombone
Blake Librizzi	11th	Trumpet
Conner Merier	11th	Alto Saxophone
O'Zion Reese	11th	Horn
Jackelyn Hebert	11th	Drum Major
Caleb Clements	12th	Percussion
Aleigha Ducker	12th	Flute

ECI Junior Varsity Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
September 22	Toombs Co.	Away	5 p.m.
September 29	Jenkins Co. (Portal)	Home	5 p.m.
October 6	Jefferson Co.	Home	5 p.m.

ECI Dance Line Roster 2022 - 2023

Name	Grade
Ally Clements	8th
Madi Walker	9th
Selena Allen	10th
Kai Fann	10th
La'Tyra Stone	10th
Dhahami Salgado	11th
Mariah Boyd	12th
Caroline Salinas	12th
Maggie Smith	12th
Toddriana Watson	12th





ECI Middle School Players and Coaches

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Scenes from Bulldogs Varsity practice



Scenes from Bulldogs Middle School practice















A veteran Lady Dawgs softball team

by RON WEATHERFORD

The ECI softball team will begin the season as the most experienced squad to take the field for the Bulldogs.

The Lady Dawgs will return seven starters from a team that finished in the final four of the state playoffs. They ended the season ranked third in state, posting a 28-5 season record.

The Bulldogs placed 12 players on the all-region team in 2021. Ten of those players return for the 2022 season.

When asked about this season and his veteran team, coach Frank Wimberly stated, "If this group stays hungry and humble, they have a great chance to make history for our school and the county as a whole. If they choose to continue to grow, live above the standard while being one another's biggest fans, this team is going to be special."

The Bulldog infield will feature 3 all-state players, including region and class A player of the year, pitcher Charla Clifton. Clifton faced 574 batters in 2021, allowing just 85 to reach base ending the season with a .172 ERA, with 133 strikeouts.

Also on the infield is 2-time region defensive player of the year and all-state short-stop, Kelsey Harper. "The Vacuum" had a fielding percentage of .944 and batted .365 for the Bulldogs.

Behind the plate for the Bulldogs is all-region and all-state catcher Shayla Stephenson. Shayla was not credited for an error or passed ball in 2021, throw-

ing out 6 runners.

At first the Bulldogs will have all-region player Lily Robertson, who is looking for a breakout year for the Lady Dawgs this season.

At second base and pitcher you have all-region player Sullee Boddiford. Sullee will again add depth to the pitching. She faced 119 batters in 2021 allowing just 9 runs with an ERA of 1.78. The senior also had a .315 batting average last season.

At the hot corner at third will be sophomore Jayna Kearson who was all region as a freshman.

Roaming around in right field will be all-region player Kayanna Thompson.

The Bulldogs have a couple of positions to replace in the outfield. Gone are all-region players Semya Williams at center field and Macy Canady at left. Macy continues her softball career with the East Georgia Bobcats.

Coach Wimberly will be looking for several younger players to contribute to the team's success this season.

Seniors Kaylan Lamb and Ally Taylor battled injuries the last couple years but have had a strong summer and will add production to this veteran lineup.

Jarei Olgesby and Asia Gibbons will be looked upon for their added growth and production off the bench for ECI.

The Bulldogs are led again by head coach Frank Wimberly and assistant coach Mikel Clifton.

The Lady Dawgs will also be coached by assis-

tant varsity coach Bryanna Riner. Coach Riner will be head coach of the JV team. "Coach Riner brings a wealth of experience as a former college player and coach experience from travel ball to high school," commented Wimberly.

As usual the Lady Dawgs will be warming to defend their region crown playing in a few tournaments and facing higher classification teams to ready for region play.

They began the season playing in the Harlem tournament on August 5th, defeating Evans High School 9-2 and 2021 state class AA runner-up Vidiala 7-3.

They defeated another region champion the third game of this season, taking the game against Harlem on 9 August, 4-1.

Other tournaments on schedule this season are the Crisp County tournament, the Titan Classic in Winder, Ga., the Jeff Davis tournament in Hazlehurst and later in the season Grayson tournament at Grayson High School in October.

The Lady Dawgs, never shying away from competition, also have a few games with schools in the top classifications. They will face 7A schools Lowndes Co., East Coweta, and Lambert, 6A school South Effingham and 5A schools Flowery Branch and Winder-Barrow.

They will begin region play in Portal on August 30 against the Panthers and play the last region game on October 4 against Jenkins Co.









SCENES FROM LADY DAWGS 2022 PRACTICE

ECI Varsity Softball Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 19	Crisp Co. Tourn.	Cordele	TBA
August 24	Vidalia*	Vidalia	4:00,6:00
August 26 - August 27	Titan Classic	Winder	TBA
August 30	Portal	Portal	5:30
September 6	Bryan Co.*	Twin City	4:00,6:00
September 8	McIntosh Co.	Darien	5:30
September 10	Jeff Davis Tourn.	Hazlehurst	TBA
September 13	MOCO	Twin City	5:30
September 14	Harlem	Harlem	5:30
September 15	Jenkins Co.	Millen	5:30
September 20	Portal	Twin City	5:30
September 27	McIntosh	Twin City	5:30
September 29	MOCO	Mt. Vernon	5:30
September 30 - October 1	Grayson Tourn.	Grayson	TBA
October 4	Jenkins Co	Twin City	5:30
October 13	S. Effingham	Twin City	5:30
October 17 - October 22	1st Rnd-State	TBD	TBA

ECI Junior Varsity Softball Schedule 2022 - 2023

	10 - 10		
Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 22	Statesboro	Twin City	5:30 p.m.
August 25	Vidalia	Vidalia	4 p.m.
September 6	Bryan Co.	Twin City	4 p.m.
September 7	BA	Statesboro	5 p.m.
September 17	BA	Twin City	10 a.m.

ECI C - Team Softball Schedule 2022 - 2023

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Date	Opponent	Location	Time	
August 18	SEB	Twin City	4:30 P.M.	
August 20	Diamond Day	Twin City	TBA	
August 23	Toombs Co.	Twin City	4:30 P.M.	
August 25	Metter	Twin City	4:30 P.M.	
August 30	Screven Co.	Sylvania	4:30 P.M.	
September 8	Screven Co.	Twin City	4:30 P.M.	
September 15	Jenkins Co.	Twin City	4:30 P.M.	
September 17	Bulloch Acd.	Twin City	12 P.M.	
September 20	Metter	Metter	4:30 P.M.	
September 27 - October 1	Playoffs	TBD	TBA	

ECI Varsity Lady Bulldogs Roster 2022 - 2023

Charla Clifton
Kelsey Harper
Sullee Boddiford
Lily Robertson
Karly Oliff
Ally Taylor
Kaylan Lamb
Shayla Stephenson
Asia Gibbons
Jarei Oglesby
Amber Harden
Jayna Kearson
Abbey Marsh
Kinley Grimes
Kayanna Thompson
Maddie Funderburk
Hailey Way
Ronee Swain-Russell
Lola Walden
Briley Womack
Jenna Grace Roberson

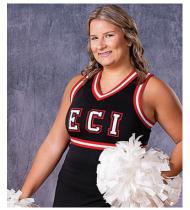
ECI C - Team Softball Roster 2022 - 2023

No.	Name
1	Charley Mitchell
2	Ja'Miya Mack
3	Katelyn Simmons
4	Ja'Niya Mack
5	Joni Wimberly
6	Brooklyn Crosby
7	Natalya SanNicolas
8	Cadence Gordon
9	Hadleigh Henry
10	Izzv Baird
11	Tatiana Smith
12	Makaylin Mincey
13	Sadie Holden
14	Adalyn Akridge
16	Colbie Radford
17	Brodee Cate Johnson
18	Ailah Nobles
21	Senaria Hillman

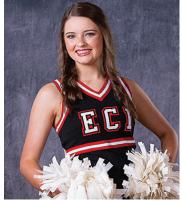


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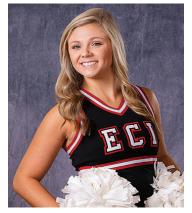
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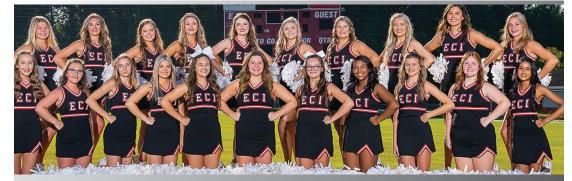
LIZZIE MILLSAPS



MARTI WOODWARD



TAYLOR FLAKES



Varsity Bulldogs Cheerleading Squad



Middle School Cheerleading Squad

2022 - 2023

Taylor Flakes
Sara Fordham
Lizzie Millsaps

Aubrey Harrison Macie McBride

Marti Woodward Halli Kate Johnson

Erin Stanford

Janna Scott

Grace Elaine Swygert

Madalyn Jones

Matti Cochran

Smith Willoughby

Destine Herschy

Kanyon Oliver

Samadi Salgado

Addison Canady

Olivia Boatright

Weslyn Snellgrove

Allie Rigdon

Aubrey Hudson

ECI Varsity Competition Cheerleaders 2022 - 2023

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Janna Scott

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Matti Cochran

Smith Willoughby

Destine Herschy

Kanyon Oliver

ECI Middle School Cheer Roster 2022 - 2023

Alyssa Barnes

Lauran Bedgood

Joni Wimberly

Charley Mitchell

Jonna Woodward

Mary-Ella Walden

Hadleigh Henry

Chanlee Youmans

Soraya Jackson

Zoey Robertson

Jlynn Hicks

Emmalin Durden

Diana Blanco

ECI Varsity Competition Cheerleading Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Location
September 17	West Laurens
September 24	Screven Co.
October 22	Statesboro
October 29	Swainsboro
November 5	Sectionals - TBA
November 11 - November 12	State Competition in Macon



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Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 26	Metter	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 2	Lincoln Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 9	Dublin	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 16	Swainsboro	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 23	Johnson Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 30	Jefferson Co. *	Home	7:30 p.m.
Region Schedule			
October 14	Portal **	Home	7:30 p.m.
October 21	McIntosh Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 28	Jenkins Co.	Home	7:30 p.m.
November 4	Montgomery Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.

* Homecoming

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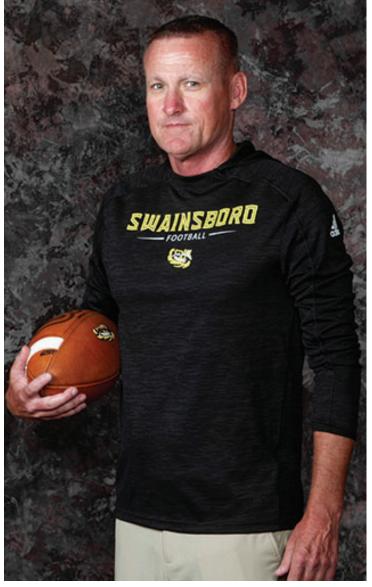
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Leader of the Den: SHS Coach Roberts

Name: Scott Roberts Age: 48

Hometown: Ocilla

Family: Riley, Lainey, and Ty, children

Education: BBA in Fi- 2009; Offensive Coordinance from Georgia nator at Bainbridge High Southern; Master's de- School 2013-2016; Tift gree in Kinesiology from County High School 2011.

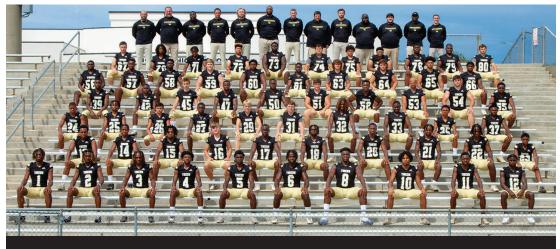
Georgia Southern Position Coach:

Playing Experience: Irwin County High School; South Georgia College,

collegiate baseball

Coaching Experience: Head Coach at Swainsboro High School 2017-Present and 2008-2009; Offensive Coordinator at Bainbridge High School 2013-2016; Tift County High School 2011.

Position Coach: Colquitt County, Fitzgerald, Cairo, and Washington County.



2022 SHS Tigers and Coaches

SHS Varsity Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 19	Metter	Home	7:30 p.m.
August 26	WACO	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 2	Jeff Davis *	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 9	Dodge Co. **	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 16	ECI	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 30	Irwin Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 7	Jefferson Co. ***	Home	7:30 p.m.
October 14	E. Laurens ***	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 28	Bleckley Co. ***	Home	7:30 p.m.
November 4	Dublin ***	Away	7:30 p.m.
* Homecoming			

** Senior Night

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SHS Varsity Tigers Football Roster 2022 - 2023

#	Name	Class	Pos.	#	Name	Class	Pos.
1	Jones, DeMello	11	DB/WR	42	Douglas, Daivion	9	DB/LB
2	Adams, Ty	12	DB/QB		Farley, Allen	10	WR/LB
3	Deloach, Keshon	11	DB/WR	45	Worthen, Jaydon	11	DE/FB
4	Morgan, LJ	9	DB/WR	47	Phillips, Da'rius	12	OL/DE
5	Williams, Jordon	11	DB/RB	51	Palmer, Kason	11	OL/DL
6	Foots, Jonorian	12	LB/FB	52	Starnes, Quan	12	OL/DL
8	Steward, Jerrod	11	LB/FB	53	Foskey, Aiden	9	OL/DL
10	Foots, Dorien	12	DB/WR	54	Blount, Dakota	12	OL/DL
11	Brown, Qin	10	DB/RB	55	Brown, Rentavious	10	OL/DL
12	Tarver, Bryson	10	DB/WR	56	Ricks, Shanon	11	OL/DL
13	Grant, Zach	12	DB/RB	57	Benjamin, Kadorian	9	OL/DL
14	Clark, Jaylen	9	DB/RB	58	Long, Caleb	11	OL/DL
15	Pearson, Jaymarion	12	DB/RB	59	Robertson, Maddox	9	OL/DL
16	Edenfield, Kason	9	DB/QB	60	Harris, Tra'lyvion	12	OL/DL
17	Webb, Lamarqus	11	LB/WR	61	McLeod, Wendell	10	OL/DL
18	Nobles, Jakari	12	DB/RB	63	Green, Jaxon	11	OL/DL
20	Coney, Schuyler	11	DB/WR	64	Coxwell, Gauge	11	OL/DL
21	Williams, Jylleris	10	DB/WR	65	Gregory, Brian	10	OL/DL
22	Bond, Nehemiah	10	LB/FB	66	Turner, Sammy "Trey"	10	OL/DL
23	Tillman, Kam'Ron	11	DB/WR	67	Ritchie, Levi	9	OL/DL
24	Hughes, Benjamin	9	DB/RB	68	Walker, Deontae	9	OL/DL
25	Rackins, Bruce	9	DB/WR	70	Strobridge, Xavier	10	OL/DL
26	Gutierrez, Zaydan	9	DB/WR	71	Esparza, Joseph	9	OL/DL
27	Reese, Wesley	9	DE/FB	72	Jackson, Kenyuan	12	OL/DL
29	Mason, Peyton	9	DB/WR	73	Hancock, Thomas	11	OL/DL
31	Gamiza, Shane	10	LB/FB	74	Kirkland, Christian	9	OL/DL
32	Curry, TJ	11	LB/FB	75	Archie, Desmond	9	OL/DL
33	Watkins, Marcus	9	DE/FB	77	Linton, Elijah	9	OL/DL
35	Young, Keyshun	9	DB/WR	78	Worthen, Garrett	9	OL/DL
37	Johnson, Soloman	11	DE/FB	79	Scott, Landen	12	K
39	Hall, Nautis	12	DB/WR	80			

SUPERINTENDENT - Mr. Scotty Hattaway
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HEAD COACH - Scott Roberts

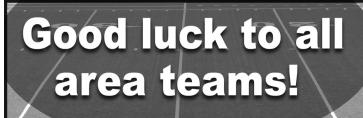
High School: Assistant Coaches: Dwight Smith - Defensive Coordinator / Defensive Line, Neal David - Defensive Backs, Morgan Jersey - Linebackers, Chase Giddens - Co-Offensive Coordinator / OL, Ashley Hooks - Co-Offensive Coordinator / WR's, David Ray - Running Backs, Michael Singletary - Video Coordinator Middle School: Corey Chalker (HC), Rosey Young, Cameo Holloway, Hunter Braswell, Pippin Davis

SHS Junior Varsity Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 25	Dublin	Home	5 p.m.
September 1	Jefferson Co.	Away	5 p.m.
September 8	Metter	Away	5 p.m.
September 15	Toombs	Home	5 p.m.
September 22	Vidalia	Away	5 p.m.
September 29	Washington Co.	Home	5 p.m.
October 6	East Laurens	Home	5 p.m.

SHS Flag Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time	
October 4	ECI	Home	Varsity - 5 p.m.; Junior Varsity - 6 p.m.	
October 13	Statesboro and Effingham	Statesboro	Scrimmage - 4:30 p.m.; Varsity - 6:30 p.m.	
October 22	Lakeside High Tournament	Augusta	Three games	
October 25	Jefferson Co. and Harlem	Jefferson Co.	Two games	
October 27	Dooly	Home	Varsity & Junior Varsity - 5:30 p.m.	
November 1	Wheeler	Wheeler	Varsity - 5:30 p.m.; Junior Varsity - 6:30 p.m.	
November 3	WACO	WACO	Varsity - 5 p.m.; Junior Varsity - 6 p.m.	
November 8	Dodge	Dodge	Varsity - 5 p.m.; Junior Varsity - 6 p.m.	
November 12	Treutlen *	Home	Varsity - 10 a.m.; Junior Varsity - 11 a.m.	
	Top 4 Go To State			
November 30	Playoffs - 1st Round	TBD	TBD	
November 30	Playoffs - 2nd Round	TBD	TBD	
December 2	Playoffs - Quarter Finals	TBD	TBD	
December 6	Playoffs - Semi-Finals	TBD	TBD	
December 9	Playoffs - Championship	TBD	TBD	
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Swainsboro Middle School Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 24	Dodge	Away	4:30 p.m.
September 1	Dublin	Home	4:30 p.m.
September 8	East Laurens	Away	4:30 p.m.
September 14	West Laurens	Home	4:30 p.m.
September 22	Bleckley County	Away	4:30 p.m.
September 28	Vidalia	Home	4:30 p.m.
October 5	Jeff Davis	Away	4:30 p.m.
October 13	1st Round of Playoffs	Higher Seed	TBA
October 20	Championship	Higher Seed	TBA

All games count toward league standings
Admission will be \$5 for adult and students (K-12)
Fifth quarter will follow at coaches discretion

Superintendent: Mr. Scotty Hattaway Principal: Mr. Manzie Broxton Assistant Principal: Angela Young Assistant Principal/Athletic Director: Mr. Steven Golden Head Coach: Corey Chalker
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SHS Band of Gold Roster 2022 - 2023

Name	Instrument	Name	Instrument
Kisna Patel	Alto Saxophone	Hunter Hadden	Mellophone
Zoe Carter	Bass Drum	Jacob Martinez	Mellophone
Ja'Reese Williams	Bass Drum	Blaze Riner	Mellophone
Jimmy Aguilar	Bass Drum	Jayson Brown	Quads
Aceland Davis	Bass Drum	Katie Carroll	Snare
Cryslie Crapps	Clarinet	Gavin Glisson	Snare
Sarah Coxwell	Clarinet	Jayson Wynn	Snare
Kynslie Crapps	Clarinet	Justin Leverette	Sousaphone
Lindsey Dalton	Clarinet	Jonathan Martinez	Sousaphone
Elaina Hutcheson	Clarinet	Khalil Shinhoster	Sousaphone
Laja Lovett	Clarinet	Jacob Silva	Sousaphone
Estrella Sanchez	Clarinet	Adam Kay	Tenor Sax
R'reyana Williams	Clarinet	Ayden Buie	Trombone
Quinia Boynton	Clarinet	Kylee Farley	Trombone
Michael Johnson	Cymbals	Jaden Martinez	Trombone
Ja'Ron Johnson	Cymbals	Pete Salinas	Trombone
Haley Ros	Cymbals	Travis Smith	Trombone
Nauseen Hall	Drum Major	D'Andre Smith	Trombone
Railyn Sumner	Drum Major	Jeremiah Herrington	Trombone
Norberto Aragon	Euphonium	Bo Brown	Trumpet
Brayden Baxter	Euphonium	Chase Coxwell	Trumpet
Christian Catt	Euphonium	Jose Hernandez	Trumpet
Marisol Castano	Flute	Sara Palmore	Trumpet
Joseph Esparza	Flute	Garrett Peebles	Trumpet
Abigail Phillips	Flute	Gracin Smith	Trumpet
Cari Phillips	Flute	Mattie Tanner	Trumpet
Sadie Bolineau	Flute	Braylan Thompson	Trumpet
Lashunta Shanks	Flute	Tyler Woodford	Trumpet
Layla Strowbridge	Flute	Christian Ford	Trumpet
Maygen Lopez	Flute	Grayson Brassell	Trumpet
CeCe Melton	Flute		



SHS Dance & Flag Line Roster 2022 - 2023

Dance Line	Flag L	Line
Alexa Camarero	Greenlee Johnson	Azareyah Leeks
Mariah Jones	Kayla Powell	Makayla Hall
Daniella Delgado	Kirah Middleton	Emily Miller
Trinity Brinson	Tisey Powell	Yaretzi Castro
Megan Peebles	Abbie Hopkins	Tana Owens
Faithann Rogers	Jakayla Coleman	
Anna Donaldson	Brinzlei Webb	
Madison Peebles	Kylie Brown	
Taniya Simmons	Ziah Davis	
Akyra Howard	Ansley Turner	
Jordan Wadley-Gardner	Brianna Gilmore	
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Kaylee Cox

Victoria McRee

Allie Taylor

Laynie Scott

Maggie Palmer

Madison Brantley

Kali Screws

Lawren Wadley

Ayla Thompson

Allie Hendrix

Brooke Hannah

Analise Newsome

Antoria Hodges

Mackenzie Ford

Laurie Allen

Madison Padgett

Yasmin Rios

Redleigh Jackson

Jada Thompson





SHS Senior Cheerleaders

(L TO R) HAYLEIGH JORDAN, JADA O'QUIN, VICTORIA MCREE, COACH LUCI MCNEELY, BROOKE HANNAH, LAWREN WADLEY, AND ANTORIA HODGES



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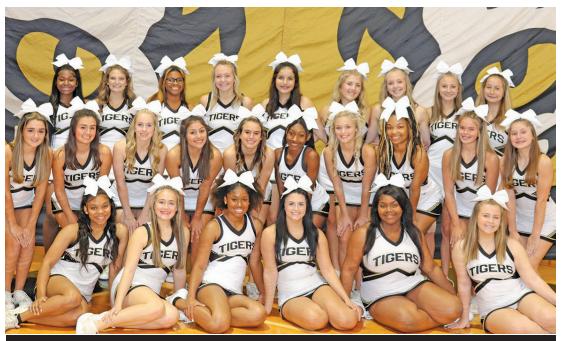
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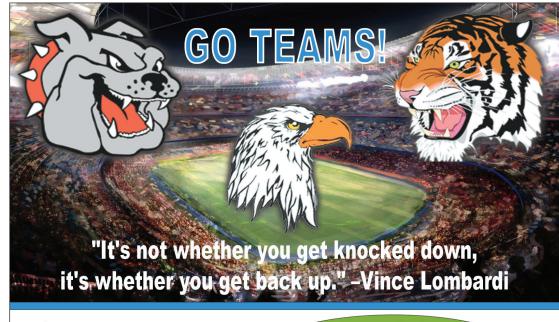
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Date	Location	Competing Squads		
September 24	Georgia Southern University	Middle and High School		
October 1	Vidalia	Middle and High School		
October 15	Jeff Davis	High School		
October 22	Statesboro High School	Middle and High School		
October 29	Swainsboro High School	Middle and High School		
Region and State				
November 1	Middle School Region/Sectionals @ Swainsboro High School			
November 5	High School Region/Sectionals @ Ola High School			
November 12	State Finals @ Macon Coliseum			



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SHS Lady Tigers Softball Team and Coaches

Lady Tigers 2022-23 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 18	Bleckley Co	Away	5:30
August 22	Washington Co.	Away	5:30
August 23	East Laurens	Away	6:00
August 25	Jefferson Co	Home	6:00
August 29	Metter	Away	
August 30	Dublin	Home	6:00
September 1	Johnson Co	Away	
September 6	Bleckley Co	Home	6:00
September 8	East Laurens	Home	6:00
September 10	Portal/Toombs Co.	Away(Portal)	9:00/11:00
September 12	Truetlen Co	Away	5:00
September 13	Jefferson Co	Away	6:00
September 14	Portal (JV)	Home	4:30
September 15	Dublin	Away	5:30
September 19	Bryan Co	Away	5:30
September 20	Wheeler	Home	6:00
September 21	Metter	Home	6:00
September 22	Bleckley	Away	5:30
September 26	Screven Co.	Home	5:30
September 27	East Laurens	Away	6:00
September 29	Jefferson Co	Home	6:00
October 4	Dublin	Home	6:00

SMS Softball Roster 2022 - 2023

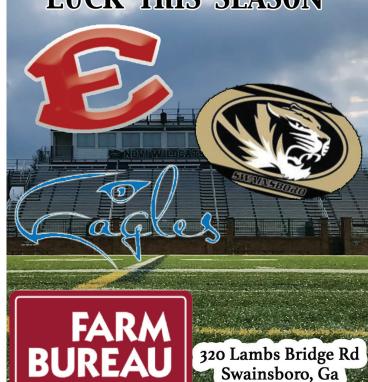
Berklie Bishop	Mylie Beneteau
Cheyanne Boyd	Joy Grace Conley
Grayson Brassell	Kaybreigh Hostilo
Kyleigh Hostilo	Rayleigh Hutcheson
Carly Jersey	Lilly Hudson
Aryah Lowe	Abby Randall Lewis
Promise Mclendon	Sydney Lively
Holli Schoen	Stella Kate Marsh
Ariel Tapley	Carrie Morris
Anna Layne Templeton	Harley Peebles
Chloe Boulineau	McKinley Walden
Sara Smith	Maggie Walker

Go Tigers!

Swainsboro Middle School Softball Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 18	Vidalia (B team extra innings)	Away	4 p.m.
August 22	Dublin	Away	4 p.m.
August 25	Dublin	Home	4 p.m.
August 29	E. Laurens	Away	4 p.m.
September 1	E. Laurens	Home	4 p.m.
September 6	W. Laurens (B team extra innings)	Home	4 p.m.
September 8	W. Laurens(B team extra innings)	Away	4 p.m.
September 12	Jeff Davis (B team extra innings)	Away	4 p.m.
September 14	Jeff Davis (B team extra innings)	Home	4 p.m.
September 19	Bleckley	Away	4 p.m.
September 22	Bleckley *8th Grade Recognition	Home	4 p.m.





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Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 19	Metter	Home	7:30 p.m.
August 26	WACO	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 2	Jeff Davis *	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 9	Dodge Co. **	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 16	ECI	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 30	Irwin Co.	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 7	Jefferson Co. ***	Home	7:30 p.m.
October 14	E. Laurens ***	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 28	Bleckley Co. ***	Home	7:30 p.m.
November 4	Dublin ***	Away	7:30 p.m.

* Homecoming

** Senior Night

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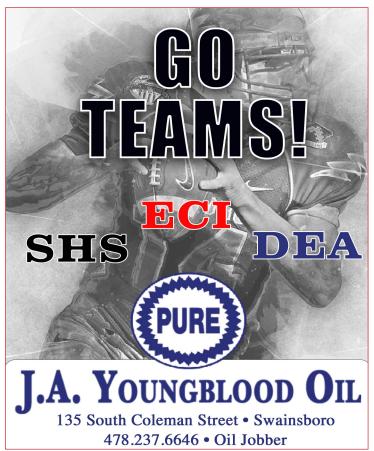
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2022 DEA Eagles and Cheerleaders

DEA Varsity Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location		
September 1	John Hancock	Home		
September 9	*Westwood	Away		
September 16	*Windsore	Away		
September 23 OPEN		OPEN		
September 30	September 30 *Twiggs (Homecoming)			
October 6	*Covenant	Home		
October 14	*Crisp	Away		
October 21	**Westminster	Home		
October 28	*John Hancock	Away		
*Region Game				
**Senior Night				





DEA Varsity	Football Rost	er 2022 - 2023
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No.	Name	Year	No.	Name	Year
3	Ben Bennett	Junior	22	John Kersey	Junior
4	Richard Braddy	Freshman	23	Tony Sutton	Junior
5	Racyn Faircloth	Senior	24	Revan Fortner	Freshman
7	Clayton Hood	Sophomore	25	Peyton Lee	Sophomore
8	Randon Williams	Junior	27	Jay Carter	Junior
9	Jaxson Wiggins	Sophomore	30	Ebb McCullough	Senior
10	Landon Lindsey	Freshman	32	Billy Martin	Junior
11	Riley Griner	Senior	54	Bryan Beasley	Freshman
12	Cavan Calhoun	Sophomore	63	Ace Ely	Senior
14	Heath Johnson	Senior	70	Justin Newsome	Senior
15	Jesse Moore	Senior	76	Jonah Boatright	Freshman
17	John-Nathan Martin	Freshman	81	Andrew Shaw	Freshman
21	Brody Fleming	Freshman	94	Ben Flanders	Junior

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DEA Seniors



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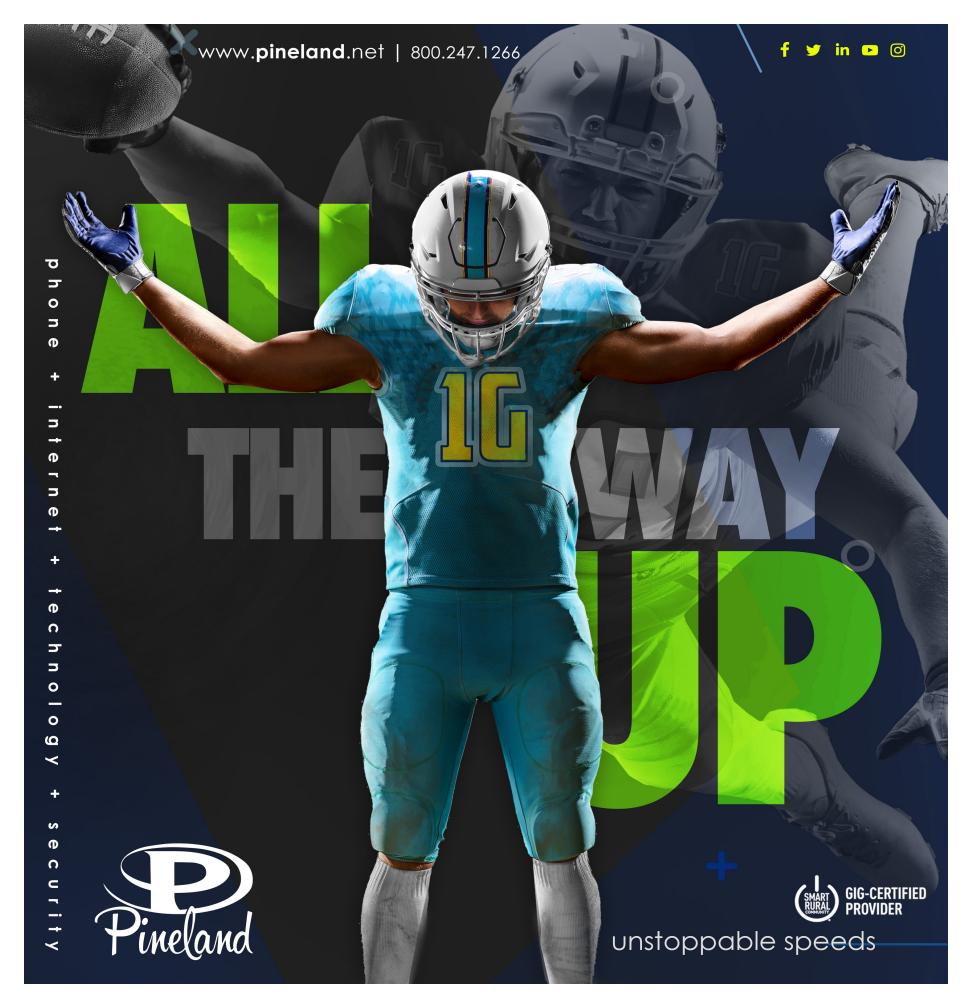
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DEA Middle School Football Roster 2022 - 2023 Grade No. No. Name Name Grade **Tucker Free** 7th 1 8th 30 Eli Way 7th 31 8th 3 **Jace Farmer** Braydon Lawson 4 Paxton Dixon 8th 40 **Bentley Brinson** 5th Ethan Fields 8th 43 7th 5 Karson Kettles 7 Gannon Smith 7th 5th Callen Sapp 44 11 Jack Evan Fields 7th 47 Lawton Wiggins 5th Riley Phillips 7th 12 Layton Terwilliger 8th 63 5th 8th 14 Charlie McRae 70 Joshua Tanner Matthew Fordham 7th 18 Hayden Wren 6th 80 7th **David Vautier** 8th 19 Ben Griner 83 22 Mason Williams 8th Blaine Fordham 5th 84 7th Cason Sapp 8th 85 Mason Boatright 26 27 Lake Woods 7th Lake Bush 7th 87 29 **Jake Lewis** 5th 94 **Hudson Beecher** 6th



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DEA Middle School Football Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location
August 25	Covenant	Away
August 30	Fullington	Away
September 8	John Hancock	Home
September 15	Portal	Away
September 22	John Hancock	Away
September 29 Fullington		Home
October 13	Vidalia Heritage	Home





DEA Senior Cheerleaders







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KYLEE PAGE



EMMA TAYLOR



DEA Varsity Cheerleading Roster 2022 - 2023				
Name	Year	Name	Year	
Lanna Douglas	Senior	Chirsten McCoy	Junior	
Cora Ellington	Senior	Maddie Perkins	Junior	
Cayley Flanders	Senior	Emma Proctor	Junior	
Alivia Fortner	Senior	Bailey Ware	Junior	
Peyton Free	Senior	Kyli Bell	Sophomore	
Ashlyn Hall	Senior	Maggie Black	Sophomore	
Molly Hammock	Senior	Addie Brown	Sophomore	
Bailey Overstreet	Senior	Jamie Gunter	Sophomore	
Kylee Page	Senior	Jada Lewis	Sophomore	
Emma Taylor	Senior	Sarah Sikes	Sophomore	
Josie Grace Black	Junior	Mattie Grace Lane	Freshman	
Ella Claire Claxton	Junior	Jayden Slater	Freshman	
Hope Goodman	Junior	Addalyn Terwilliger	Freshman	
Haley Hagan	Junior			

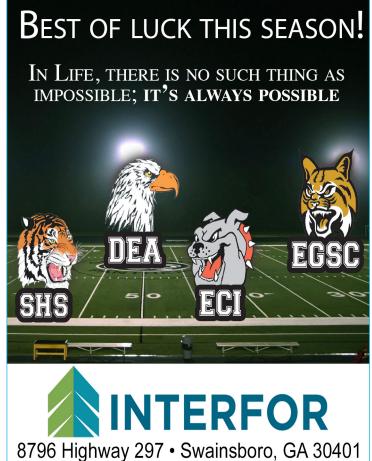


2022 DEA Eagles Cheerleaders

DEA Middle School Cheerleading Roster 2022 - 2023

Name	Grade	Name	Grade
Rayleigh Faircloth	5th	Gracie Scruggs	7th
Loralee Scarboro	6th	Chloe Daniel	7th
Preslee Moore	6th	Scout Hall	7th
Henny Patel	6th	Madison Slater	7th
Madeline Griner	6th	Brylee Beasley	8th
Lyla Martin	7th	Lizzie Bowman	8th
Hensley Terwilliger	7th	Bailey McNure	8th
Emily McRae	7th	Brook Fleming	8th
Zaylee Braddy	7th	Payton Peebles	8th





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DEA Softball Seniors





MOLLY HAMMOCK

JAYLIN HALL



2022 DEA Eagles Softball Team

	DEA Varsity Softball Roster 2022 - 2023				
No.	Name	Year	No.	Name	Year
11	Jaylin Hall	Senior	25	Aaralyn Grimes	Sophomore
4	Molly Hammock	Senior	0	Henzli Hall	Freshman
18	Sara Cate Fennell	Junior	12	Jayden Slater	Freshman
1	Ava Johnson	Junior	3	Addalyn Terwilliger	Freshman
22	Chirsten McCoy	Junior	10	Rileigh Andrews	Eighth Grade
5	Maddie Perkins	Junior	8	Lizzie Bowman	Eighth Grade
2	Emma Proctor	Junior	13	Brook Fleming	Eighth Grade
33	Bailey Ware	Junior	14	Bailey McNure	Eighth Grade
15	Kyli Bell	Sophomore	27	Payton Peebles	Eighth Grade
23	Jada Lewis	Sophomore			

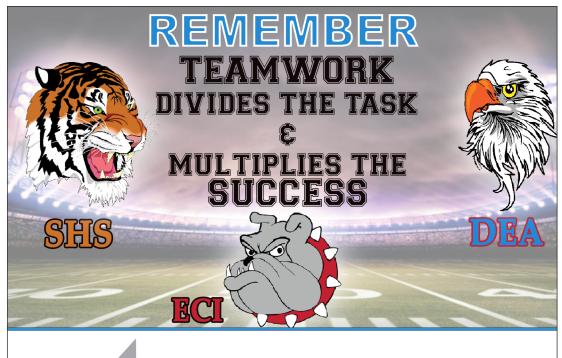
DEA Middle School Softball Roster 2022 - 2023

No.	Name	Year	No.	Name	Year
13	Brook Fleming	8th	9	Kate Yeomans	6th
21	Bailey McNure	8th	19	Emma Peebles	6th
27	Payton Peebles	8th	28	Lara McNure	6th
15	Lizzie Bowman	8th	8	Sophie Young	6th
2	Rileigh Andrews	8th	5	Halli Hammock	6th
12	Hensley Terwilliger	7th	3	Carrie Johnson	6th
14	Emily McRae	7th	11	Madeline Griner	6th
0	Aubrey Scott	7th	4	Rayleigh Faircloth	5th
10	Kaley Flowers	6th	7	Brooklyn Peebles	5th

DEA Varsity Softball Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time				
August 18	Trinity **	Away	4:30 p.m.				
August 22	Edmund Burke	Away	4:00 p.m.				
August 25	Portal	Away	5:30 p.m.				
August 29	Pinewood	Away	6:00 p.m.				
September 6	Jenkins	Away	5:00 p.m.				
September 8	Edmund Burke	Home	5:30 p.m.				
September 12	Pinewood	Home	4:00 p.m.				
September 15	Robert Toombs	Home	6:00 p.m.				
September 20	First Preparatory	Away	4:00 p.m.				
September 22	Thomas Jefferson	Home	4:00 p.m.				
September 27	Robert Toombs	Away	6:00 p.m.				
September 29	First Preparatory *	Home	4:00 p.m.				
October 4	Thomas Jefferson	Away	4:00 p.m.				
	* Senior Day						

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DEA Cross Country Roster 2022 - 2023				
Name	Grade	Name	Grade	
Jaxson Bishop	1st	Brantley Register	4th	
Trott Everett	1st	Kylie Cook	2nd	
Lyndi Rae Simmons	1st	Hudson Moore	2nd	
Callie Mae Davis	1st	Bailey Duckworth	3rd	
Weston Moore	2nd	Ty Kirby	4th	
NellieJean Scruggs	1st	Jax Womack	3rd	
Jeffrey Register	1st	Samuel Martin	4th	
Sumner Register	1st	Layla Clark	4th	
Ellis Register	3rd			

DEA Cross Country Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Special Notes
August 29	Bulloch Academy	Away	
August 30	Vidalia Heritage Academy	Away	Boys @ 4 p.m.; Girls @ 4:15 p.m.
September 12	Bulloch Academy	Away	
September 13	Vidalia Heritage Academy	Away	Boys @ 4 p.m.; Girls @ 4:15 p.m.
September 19	Bulloch Academy	Away	
September 24	Vidalia Heritage Academy	Away	Boys @ 9:40 a.m.; Girls @ 9:50 a.m.
October 3	Bulloch Academy	Away	
October 12	Edmund Burke Academy	Away	



DEA Middle School Softball Schedule 2022 - 2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 18	*Trinity	Away	4:00 p.m.
August 22	Edmund Burke	Away	6:00 p.m.
August 29	Pinewood	Away	4:30 p.m.
August 30	Bulloch	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 7	Jenkins Co.	Home	4:00 p.m.
September 8	Edmund Burke	Home	4:00 p.m.
September 12	Thomas Jefferson	Away	4:30 p.m.
September 15	Robert Toombs	Home	4:00 p.m.
September 20	Screven Christian (DH)	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 21	Jenkins Co.	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 22	Thomas Jefferson	Home	5:30 p.m.
September 26	Screven Christian (DH)	Home	4:00 p.m.
September 27	Robert Toombs	Away	4:00 p.m.

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